



SRI LANKA NATIONAL MINE ACTION COMPLETION STRATEGY 2023 - 2027

NATIONAL MINE ACTION CENTER (NMAC)

**MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT,
CONSTRUCTION & HOUSING**

**REVIEWED STRATEGY
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Strategic orientation 2025 - 2027

THEORY OF CHANGE: SRI LANKA MINE ACTION STRATEGY

VISION

Women, girls, boys and men thrive in a mine free Sri Lanka where EO victims are fully integrated into society and have their needs met

MISSION

To coordinate and implement mine action in line with international good practice to facilitate sustainable development and achieve completion

OBJECTIVES

1. Land release and EORE result in reduced accidents, and enable safe and sustainable livelihood activities

2. Strengthened coordination and national ownership result in raised awareness, greater transparency and increased collaboration

3. Residual EO contamination is effectively managed with sustainable national structures, supporting safer communities

4. Targeted capacity strengthening enhances staff skills and performance, and enable a smooth transition to post-demining livelihoods

RISKS AND MITIGATIONS

- Reduced international funding
- Insufficient funding to NMAC, RMAO and SLA HDU
- Discovery of previously unknown contamination
- Staff migration/retention
- Continued increase in operating costs

- Clarity on strategic priorities
- Clarity on funding
- Greater awareness within GoSL
- Enhanced inter-ministerial collaboration
- Improved transparency

ASSUMPTIONS

- All five operators (SLA HDU, DASH, SHARP, HALO Trust and MAG) remain operational
- NMAC remains funded
- The completion survey is implemented